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Agribusiness Programs

AGRICULTURE TECHNOLOGY

How to Apply for Admissions...

Dodge City Community College has an open-door admissions policy with the following requirements for all full-time students:

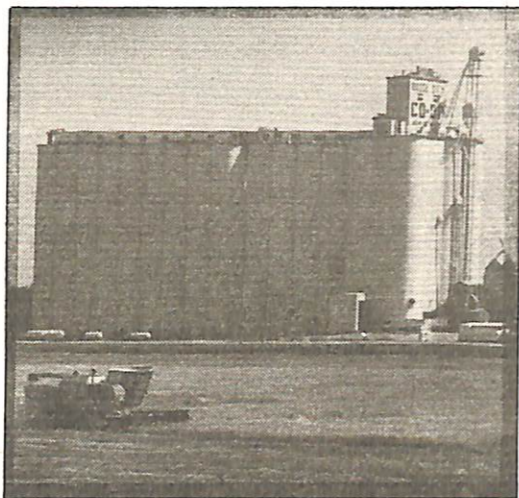
1. Complete application for admission.
2. Send A.C.T. scores. (S.A.T. are accepted)
3. Send high school transcript or equivalent. (G.E.D.)
4. Send college transcript (if applicable).
5. Submit a physical exam (required only from athletes and nursing majors).

The following two items are not requirements for admissions but essential planning steps for some students:

6. Submit a deposit to reserve on-campus housing.
7. Check into financial aid and scholarship. Make applications where appropriate.

High school seniors, with written permission from their principal, may enroll in classes for college credit.

Dodge City Community College is fully-accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools and the Kansas Department of Education.



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Agribusiness Program

The Agribusiness Programs at Dodge City Community College, meet the challenges of the fast-moving, technical industry of agriculture.

Agriculture, the largest business in the world, is in need of capable well-trained agribusiness individuals to assist the producer. Approximately fifteen full-time people are needed to supply and assist one farmer.

Agribusiness occupations include sales, services, marketing, and supplies.

The Agribusiness Program at DCCC is a two option program:

★ The Two-Year Vocational Option

The Vocational Curriculum is designed to prepare the student to have the entry level skills needed to work in various types of Agribusiness. These businesses might include Grain Handling Facilities, Machinery Dealerships, Ag Chemical Applicators, Marketing Agencies, Irrigation Suppliers, and Fertilizer Dealers. The program has specific required courses that a student must take to complete the program. The remaining course work is structured to meet the students' needs (based upon the type of agribusiness in which they are interested). Through Occupational Experience, the student may work

for an agribusiness while attending college and receive up to twelve (12) college hours of credit. Thus, the student has opportunities to apply the classroom principles and to gain valuable work experience.

★ The Two-Year Transfer Option

The transfer option allows students to receive the first two years of their college career at Dodge City Community College, then transfer to a four-year institution. The DCCC Agribusiness transfer student earns sixty-four (64) college hours of credit which will transfer into specific areas related to Agribusiness in the four-year college or university. DCCC's cooperative communication with the four-year colleges has resulted in developing a quality transfer program. Over half of DCCC Agribusiness students transfer to four-year institutions. With the four-year degree, DCCC Agribusiness transfer students are readily employed with agricultural lending institutions, management positions with fertilizer firms, grain handling and marketing companies, and other agribusiness-related industries.

Agribusiness (Vocational Option) Curriculum

FRESHMAN:

1st SEMESTER (FALL)

Class	Cr Hrs
Orientation to Agribusiness & Industry*	1
Math Elective*	3
Principles of Animal Science*	3
Introduction to Business*	3
Business Communications or English*	3
Occupational Experience*	3
Total	16

2nd SEMESTER (SPRING)

Salesmanship*	3
Crop Science*	3
Natural Science Elective*	5
Humanities Elective*	3
Occupational Experience*	3
Total	17

SOPHOMORE

1st SEMESTER (FALL)

Farm & Ranch Records or Accounting I*	3
Speech I*	2
Applications of Microcomputers in Agriculture or Computer Language*	3
Agriculture or Business Electives	6
Total	14

2nd SEMESTER (SPRING)

Agriculture or Business Electives	17
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*Indicates required courses. Agriculture electives may be chosen from the following areas: Ag Mechanics, Ag Machinery Operations, Farm Building Construction, Agricultural Economics, Ag Equipment Construction, Ag Chemicals, Range Management, Animal Health, Principles of Feeding, Feedlot Technology, Beef Management, Swine Science, Genetics, Artificial Insemination, Seminar in Management, Farm Management, Grain Handling and Storage, Soils, Fertilizer Management, Agribusiness Marketing, Grain Marketing, Irrigation Technology, additional Occupational Experience, Horse Science, and Diesel Mechanics.

Starting Date

Students may enroll in this program at the start of any semester.

Agricultural Transfer Curriculum

FRESHMAN

1st Semester

Class	Cr HRS
English Comp I	3
Principles of Econ. I	3
College Algebra	3
Physical Education	1
Prin. of Animal Science	3
Orientation to Agribusiness & Industry	1
General Psychology	3
Total	17

2nd Semester

General Chemistry or General Inorganic Chemistry	5
English Comp. II	3
Fundamentals of Speech	3
Physical Education	1
Agricultural Economics	3
Total	15

SOPHOMORE

1st Semester

Principles of Biology	4
Introduction to Sociology	3
Crop Science	3
Principles of Feeding	3
Humanities Elective	3
Total	16

2nd Semester

Soils	4
Social Science Elective	3
Humanities	3
Agricultural Electives	6
Total	16

The Humanities, Social Science, and Agricultural Electives will vary based upon the specific area and college in which the student plans to transfer. Additional changes in this curriculum can occur depending on the institution they are considering for their four-year degree.

Non-discrimination Statement

Dodge City Community College is committed to equal opportunity for all students regardless of sex, race, color, and national or ethnic origin, or physical handicap in the administration of admissions policies, educational policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletics or other school-administered programs.